

Welcome to the Westport Parks and Recreation Tennis Camp program. Tennis instructor Dave Kardas and his staff are sure to make these weeks enjoyable for all as they look to improve each participant's tennis abilities. This program has been structured and designed for all levels of tennis instruction. The focus of the camp is to develop and work on the skills and fundamentals of the game as well as develop strategy for singles and doubles competition. We will offer play situations and work on anticipating shots, spin, and proper footwork.

### GENERAL PROGRAM INFORMATION

The tennis camps are available for six different sessions. The program is designed as a 15 hour, 5-day workout session for each group of tennis players:

Session 1: April 26 – April 30 (Adult Ladies, 18 and up, All Levels)
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Monday through Friday 9:30 am – 12:30pm **Town Farm Courts** 

Session 2: July 12 – July 16 (Children, grades 1 - 4, Beg/Adv Beg) TC 21

Monday through Friday 3:30pm – 6:30pm **Doubleday Courts** 

Session 3: July 19 – July 23 (Children, grades 3 - 8, Beg/Adv Beg) TC 31

Monday through Friday 3:30pm – 6:30pm **Doubleday Courts** 

Session 4: July 26 – July 30 (Children grades 4 - 9, Adv Beg/Int) TC 41

Monday through Friday 3:30pm – 6:30pm **Doubleday Courts** 

Session 5: August 2 – August 6 (Children, grades 3 - 8, Adv Beg/Int/Adv) TC 51

Monday through Friday 3:30pm – 6:30pm **Doubleday Courts** 

Session 6: August 23 – August 27

Monday through Friday

11:00am – 2:00pm (Children, grades 1 - 4, Beg/Int) TC 61 2:00pm –5:00pm (Children, grades 5 - 9, Beg/Int) TC 62

**Longshore Courts** 

#### **RAIN DAYS**

This is an outdoor program and there are no indoor facilities. Any day the courts might be unplayable due to rain, it is up to you to call the cancellation line at Parks and Recreation Office, **341-5074** to find out if camp is still on. There are no make-ups or refunds due to inclement weather.

## **EQUIPMENT**

Attire for the camp should be shorts or sweatpants, T-shirt and sneakers and socks. If the weather seems cool, bring a sweatshirt or wind jacket. All participants must bring their own tennis racket.

# DROP OFF AND PICK UP

Parents that have children enrolled in sessions 2 – 5, please drop off and pick up at the Doubleday Courts, and for session 6 please drop off and pick up at Longshore Courts. Staff will be available ten minutes prior to start time to receive the children. The program will begin promptly at the scheduled start time. Please be prompt in picking up your children. Late pick-ups will not be tolerated and could result in your child be suspended from the program. For those adults participating, please follow all parking regulations.

## WHAT TO BRING TO CAMP

- A snack, plenty of drinks and water bottle.
- Sunscreen and hat to protect the participant from the sun
- A tennis racket

## **GENERAL RULES**

- All participants are expected to respect each other and all staff. Discipline problems will not be tolerated and are grounds for immediate dismissal from the program with no refund.
- At the end of each day, please be sure to pick up all personal belongings. There is no lost and found.

The Westport Parks and Recreation Department wants this to be and enjoyable experience for all participants. Please take time to read this information with your child before they attend camp.